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TRAPS IMMENSE LION

Tony Walter reports having captured one of the largest lions that has been taken in the Williamson Valley country of Yavapai county in many years. He had set traps for large animals and this one entered it. He had evidently been driven from the mountains by deep snow and cold weather. It measured around the jawline from ear to ear, 24 inches. Mrs. Walter, in writing of the capture of the animal to George Miller, stated that it had the largest head she had ever seen on a mountain lion. A few miles away another rancher captured a mother lion and five young ones. The weather has been unduly cold in the Juniper range and the deep snow has evidently caused a scarcity of food, necessitating their migration to the valley.

CHURCH NOTES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Sunday, January 19, at 11 A. M., I. O. O. F. Hall. All are invited.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Sunday, January 19th. Mass will be said at 7:30 A. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Rev. Father J. Hootsmans.

SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH
Sunday school 10 A. M., morning service 11 A. M., subject, "Our Boys Come Marching Home." Evening service, 7:30 P. M. Subject, "The Most Striking Cartoon of the War." Wednesday Evening, Class M, Hebrew literature. T. H. Dodd, Minister.

JEROME CHAPMAN WRITES FROM FRANCE

Jerome Chapman writes from Le-mont Dore, France, under date of Nov. 27, to his mother:
"I will drop you a few lines to-day, to let you know I am well, and getting along fine. Hope this finds all of you the same.
I went through several battles, and was lucky enough to come out without a scratch.
The weather has been a little cold the last few days.
I am on leave now, and it is the first I've had since I left New York.
Am sending you and the girls each a souvenir from France. I don't suppose I will be home by Christmas, but soon after, as they are sending the wounded soldiers home now.
Will close this time, answer soon."

WOMAN'S CLUB

The Woman's Club will meet next Tuesday evening in the directors room of the Arizona Central Bank, at 7:30 P. M.
Business of importance is to be transacted and it is requested that all members attend this meeting.

Corinthian Brass

That which was known as Corinthian brass is said to have been a mixture of gold, silver and brass. There is a legend to the effect that when Mummius destroyed the city of Corinth by fire the conflagration melted all metals, which ran down the streets, and the three mentioned above ran together and formed the alloy named.

DESTROYING CONFISCATED "BOOTLEG"



Picture by McClure

Under Sheriff James Curtin is shown supervising the destruction of the bootleg whiskey captured last week, as ordered by Judge Bollinger. Twenty or thirty citizens witnessed the destruction of this substitute for whiskey, which would have retailed in Arizona for about \$2500.

RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION MAKES APPEAL TO SHIPPERS

Co-incident with the withdrawal of Food Administration regulations governing minimum carload for licenses commodities, local officials of the United States Railroad Administration today sent broadcast to shippers an appeal to voluntarily maintain loading practices established during the war.

The policy of the Railroad Administration in regard to carloading is set forth as follows by W. C. Kendall, manager Car Service Section:

"The heavier loading of freight cars, the campaign for which has had the valued aid and support of the several departments of the government, as well as the hearty co-operation of shippers, has been a very material factor in accomplishing the following:

1. An increased car supply.
2. Lessened congestion of railroads, particularly at terminal points.
3. Improved service made possible by lessened congestion.

"Taking full advantage of car-carrying capacity means more than the mere conservation of equipment. It not only saves equipment from wear, but also minimizes congestion and makes possible greatly improved service.

"If it be thought that the improved car supply which exists at the present time makes it less necessary to load cars to full capacity it should be borne in mind that a return to the old practice of light loading would speedily bring about another car shortage and congestion, by reason of the increased number of cars required to carry a given tonnage. Numerous shippers have volunteered the information that it is their purpose to make the fullest use of equipment, maintaining the record established during the war, regardless of tariff minimums. They apparently realize the advantage gained, which prevent useless waste and a return of transportation conditions which formerly prevailed.

"The Railroad Administration will continue its efforts to closely supervise the loading of all commodities, in order that demands for service may be promptly met and we ask the contin-

FORMER GOV. HUNT SUES TO RECOVER SALARY INCREASE

George W. P. Hunt, until last week governor of Arizona, yesterday filed a test case under the county classification bill, the former governor having instituted a mandamus action against State Auditor Jesse Boyce to compel him to allow his claim for back salary.

The action was brought by Louis B. Whitney, a member of the commission of state institutions during the Hunt regime. The writ directed at the auditor was made returnable at 10 o'clock on January 24, by Judge Stanford.

Former Governor Hunt claims back salary due him in the sum of \$4,529.51 from March 14, 1917, to January 5, 1919, he was entitled to \$11,776.82, and received \$7,247.31. The former salary of the governor was \$4,000 a year, which was raised to \$6,500 by legislative enactment which provided for a raise of salaries of the governor, attorney general, judges and several county officers. The question was raised as to whether or not these holding office during the enactment of the law were entitled to raise of salary.

The law was questioned, first, by members of the board of supervisors of Yavapai county, and the lower court's decision was that incumbents in office when the law was enacted were not entitled to increase in salaries. The decision was reversed by the supreme court.

LOS ANGELES COUNSELLOR HERE

R. T. Quin, a well-known member of the Los Angeles bar, was a Kingman visitor several days this week, having been called here by court matters concerning the Keystone mine, at Mineral Park. Mr. Quin, during his stay visited the Hackberry mines in company of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Holmes, and was astounded by the immense possibilities of that property.

Around The Town

J. M. Rice was in from Oatman Monday.

Ben Evans, from Yucca, spent the day here Monday.

Fred Wilders of Hackberry was here over Friday.

Mrs. Carl Proestel of Oatman, made a business trip to Kingman Friday.

Robert Lee was in from Chloride Thursday.

The Rebecca Lodge had a social session at the Oddfellow's Hall last evening.

Mrs. Staten is rapidly recovering from injuries from the fall she had last week.

M. I. Powers has been appointed as one of the members of the Northern Arizona Normal School Board.

C. S. Crawford and Harold A. Walker of Yucca were Kingman visitors Friday.

The final total on the Christmas Red Cross membership drive is 1570 for the county.

Charles Adams and L. A. Newton of Yucca, were Kingman visitors Wednesday.

C. W. Maier, Ben Wilson and Chas. Burlock came in from Oatman Tuesday returning the following day.

W. C. Howard of Katherine, made a trip to Kingman for supplies Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Williams were down from Hackberry Monday of this week.

Norman Nelson was down from Chloride Monday, returning the following day.

Mrs. Bryan Mensch arrived from Holbrook Friday. She will stay here until her husband's return from Europe.

Mrs. John Ware entertained at her home last Saturday afternoon for Miss Ruth Walker of Los Angeles, who has been visiting in Kingman.

George B. Ayers, Tom Devine and Anson H. Smith left Friday evening for Kansas City as delegates to the Good Roads conference to be held there starting the 21st.

A number of the young lady friends of Leona Foster were entertained at the latter's home last Saturday afternoon. The young people spent the afternoon with games and enjoyed themselves generally.

Mrs. George Shea expects to leave early in the week for Prescott, where she will join Mr. Shea who has recently been put in charge of the Pioneer Home there, by Governor Campbell.

Six trainloads of artillerymen went through Kingman this week. They were made up mostly of the "Grizzlies," who had been ordered into action the day before the armistice was signed. Much to their regret the order came too late.

Mrs. S. T. Elliott and Mrs. J. S. Amundsen gave a party last Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Elliott's residence at which forty guests were present. The afternoon was spent at tea and bridge. Of special interest were the place cards of hand-painted butterflies.

Mrs. C. M. Leonard entertained Tuesday afternoon for Miss Walker, Miss Walker and her sister, Mary Walker, who recently resigned as teacher in the Kingman schools, returned to their home in Los Angeles Wednesday.

Esther Menefee gave a dancing party for her cousin, Bob Nelson, at Brundages Friday night of last week. After dancing for an hour refreshments were served and after more dancing the young people went home feeling that they had a "dandy" good time.

Lieut. John Mulligan returned to Kingman Thursday, accompanied by his bride, formerly Hazel Dunn of Los Angeles. The young couple were married early in the month at Los Angeles, the home of the bride's parents, and then went on a wedding trip to San Francisco. They will make their home in Kingman.

Mrs. George Shea and Mrs. C. A. Warren nearly "spent a night out" last Monday night, when a punctured tire held them up on their way home from Hackberry, where they had gone to take some Red Cross supplies. "Chet" became nervous as the evening progressed and starting out with a car found the two ladies on the way, nearly "frozen to death." The tire was changed, and so ended what might have been an uncomfortable night.

Mrs. W. C. Taylor and young daughter arrived in Kingman this week from Miami to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. R. L. Mangrum. Mrs. Taylor says the "flu" is running rampant again in the Miami section.

George W. Harbin, who has been assistant attorney general of the state, has been appointed assistant county attorney of Coconino county. Mr. Harbin formerly resided in that county and has long desired to get back into practice in the north.

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All schools and places of public gatherings have been closed in Phoenix on account of the recurrence of influenza. The number of cases in the Capital City have grown alarmingly large and everything possible is being done to mitigate the evil.

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F. E. G. Berry of Chloride, spent Tuesday in Kingman.

Lear Staten returned Tuesday from the coast.

Miss Lillian Martin came in from Los Angeles yesterday. She will visit the Neals on the Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly of the Levithan, spent Thursday and Friday in Kingman.

L. F. Dillon, Adventist minister, will spend the next few months in Kingman.

Zadok Sheffield, Justice of the Peace at Oatman, spent Friday in Kingman.

Miss Marian Primm has accepted a position with the Arizona California Telephone Company.

Harvey Klotzsch of the Yucca Tungsten was a Kingman visitor Monday.

Miss Esther Menefee is in receipt of a very pretty lace and embroidered tea apron from France.

"Dad" Binford left for Fenner, California, this week to go to work for the Bonanza King Mining Company. Binford will have charge of the hoist.

It is reported that Fred C. Blodgett, formerly roadmaster here, who went overseas as captain of engineers, has married an English nurse.

George Miller and family are back from Seligman and will make their home in Kingman during the school months.

Ruby Kerns, from Los Angeles, is one of the new girls at the Arizona-California-Nevada Telephone Company.

J. A. Christie, superintendent of the Arizona division of the Santa Fe, spent a day in Kingman this last week.

Howard C. Newell, recently mustered out of the artillery, will take Miss Armour's place as book-keeper for the telephone company.

George Miller's young son was taken to Los Angeles last night where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Jack Porter will leave for Holbrook tonight, where he expects to remain for a week or ten days, looking over the "oil field in the making."

Mrs. Bryan Hilty has received word from Bryan, that he expects to be discharged this week. If Bryan's expectations are correct he will probably arrive here early next week.

Mrs. Katherine Armour has resigned her position as book-keeper at the Arizona-California-Nevada Telephone Company, and for the next few weeks will act as postmaster for the legislature at Phoenix.

Minne Sawyer left last Saturday for Los Angeles where she is planning to make a month's visit with her sisters. When she arrived there she found both of her sisters ill with the "flu."

Robert Nelson returned to his home in Bakersfield after a week's visit with his cousin, Esther Menefee. Nelson is in the naval reserve and recently completed a course in naval work at Berkeley.

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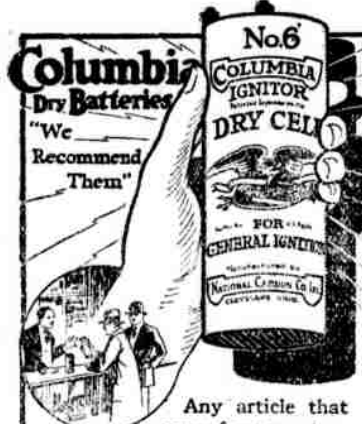
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